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SUBJECT: QATAR EXPECTED TO DECIDE TOMORROW ON VOTE FOR
KOSOVO'S IMF AND WORLD BANK MEMBERSHIP

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Classified By: CDA Michael A. Ratney for Reasons 1.4 (b) and (d).

(C) MFA Deputy Director of European and American Affairs
Ibrahim Al-Maghaiseeb told P/E Chief May 4 that a decision on
Qatar's vote for Kosovo's membership in the IMF and World
Bank is still pending with Prime Minister/Foreign Minister
Hamad Bin Jassim Al Thani. Al-Maghaiseeb believed a decision
would be made by OOB Washington time Tuesday, May 5, which
would give the GOQ sufficient time to instruct its
representative how to vote.
Ratney